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| /E.M./  | 3,336,223                  | 8/15/67  | Kneeland             | 252  | 9               |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 3,749,247                  | 7/31/73  | Rohde                | 210  | 205             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 3,883,439                  | 5/13/75  | Bergeron             | 252  | 37.2            |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,014,794                  | 3/29/77  | Lewis                | 210  | 199             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,061,572                  | 12/6/77  | Cohen et al.         | 210  | 168             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,066,559                  | 1/3/78   | Rohde                | 252  | 10              |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,075,098                  | 2/21/78  | Paul et al.          | 210  | 168             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,144,166                  | 3/13/79  | DeJovine             | 210  | 60              |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,144,169                  | 3/13/79  | Grueschow            | 210  | 168             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,639,255                  | 1/27/87  | Schuettenberg et al. | 44   | 62              |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,751,901                  | 6/21/88  | Moor                 | 123  | 196A            |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,755,289                  | 7/5/88   | Villani              | 210  | 132             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 4,769,167                  | 9/6/88   | Haas et al.          | 252  | 76              |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,032,259                  | 7/16/91  | He et al.            | 210  | 133             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,042,617                  | 8/27/91  | Brownawell et al.    | 184  | 6.24            |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,059,217                  | 10/22/91   | Arroyo et al.        | 44   | 639             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,069,799                  | 12/3/91  | Brownawell et al.    | 210  | 749             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,249,552                  | 10/5/93  | Brooks               | 123  | 1               |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,327,861                  | 7/12/94  | Rogalla et al.       | 123  | 196S            |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,374,354                  | 12/20/94   | Baehler et al.       | 210  | 168             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,435,912                  | 7/25/95  | Baehler et al.       | 210  | 168             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,456,217                  | 10/10/95   | Thunker et al.       | 123  | 1A              |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,478,463                  | 12/26/95   | Brownawell et al.    | 208  | 180             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,507,942                  | 4/16/96  | Davis                | 210  | 94              |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,527,452                  | 6/18/96  | Grigoriev et al.     | 210  | 130             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,552,040                  | 9/3/96   | Baehler et al.       | 210  | 168             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,573,557                  | 11/12/96   | Thünker et al.       | 44   | 639             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,580,359                  | 12/3/96  | Wright               | 44   | 321             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,591,330                  | 1/7/97   | Lefebvre             | 210  | 203             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,662,799                  | 9/2/97   | Hudgens et al.       | 210  | 192             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,695,531                  | 12/9/97  | Makino et al.        | 44   | 639             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,718,258                  | 2/17/98  | Lefebvre et al.      | 137  | 268             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,725,031                  | 3/10/98  | Bilski et al.        | 141  | 2               |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,767,045                  | 6/16/98  | Ryan                 | 508  | 287             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,776,494                  | 7/7/98   | Guskey et al.        | 424  | 484             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 5,897,770                  | 4/27/99  | Hatch et al.         | 210  | 101             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 6,008,165                  | 12/28/99   | Shanklin et al.      | 508  | 185             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 6,045,692                  | 4/4/00   | Bilski et al.        | 210  | 198.1           |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 6,238,554                  | 5/29/01  | Martin, Jr. et al.   | 210  | 109             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 7,056,870                  | 6/6/06   | Chapaton et al.      | 508  | 208             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 7,087,674                  | 8/8/06   | Sarkar et al.        | 524  | 560             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 7,163,482                  | 1/16/07  | Sarkar et al.        | 475  | 159             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 2002/0014447               | 2/7/02   | Rohrbach et al.      | 210  | 209             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 2002/0043495               | 4/18/02  | Beard et al.         | 210  | 416.1           |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 2004/0157751               | 8/12/04  | Chapaton et al.      | 508  | 124             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 2004/0157970               | 8/12/04  | Sarkar et al.        | 524  | 366             |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 2004/0159304               | 8/19/04  | Caracciolo           | 123  | 196 R           |                                       |  |
| /E.M./  | 2004/0266631               | 12/30/04   | Burrington et al.    | 508  | 113             |                                       |  |

